

The Dr. John E. Donley Rehabilitation Center offers two Pain Management Treatment Programs.

For many years we have offered a **Comprehensive Pain Management Program** that includes physical/occupational therapy, psychological counseling, and vocational services when appropriate. The focus of the program is to educate and assist the injured worker to more effectively manage their pain complaints, while optimizing their functional ability; improving their quality of life as well as preparing them to return to the workforce. Injured workers are admitted to this program via court order **OR** via a referral from the treating physician. This program **does not** make any recommendations for or referrals to medical providers outside of our facility.

In March of 2014 we began a new program in collaboration with The Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court, named the **Interdisciplinary Pain Management Program**. The focus of the program is essentially the same as the Comprehensive Pain Management Program; however, the distinction between this program and the Comprehensive Pain Management Program is that the Donley Center staff can make recommendations back to the court for consideration of referral to outside medical providers (chiropractors, massage therapists, addiction specialists, acupuncturists, etc.) who would work with the Donley Center staff in treating the injured worker. Candidates for this program will be admitted **ONLY** by order from the Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court.